CHURCH DIRECTORY.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND—Main St. Rev. H. Cooper, Incumbent. Morning Service at 11; Evening Service at 6.30 o'clock. Sunday School at 9.30 a.m.; Rev. H. Cooper, Superintendent. Messrs. T. G. Fennell and R. Martin, Wardens.

KNOX CHURCH—Inkerman St. Rev. J. W. Bell, M. A., Pastor. Services at 11 a. m., and 6.30 p.m. Sabbath School at 2.30 p.m.; Mr. Jas. Crozier, B.A., Superintendent. Congregational Prayer Meeting Wednesday evening at 7.30. Bible Class, conducted by the Pastor, Thursday evening, at 7.30. Sec'y Board of Wardens, Mr. J. J. Hamilton, to whom application may be made for sittings in the Church.

CANADA METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. J. G. Scott, Pastor. Services at 10.30 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.30 p.m.; W. Bradley, Superintendent. Bible class Tuesday evenings, conducted by Rev. Mr. Scott. Prayer meeting every Wednesday evening at 7.30.

M. E. CHURCH—Inkerman St. Rev. R. M. Pope, Pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 6.30 p.m. Sunday School at 2.00 p.m.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Services conducted by Rev. A. F. McGregor, B.A. Sunday at 11 a.m. and 6:30 p.m.; Sunday School at 9 30 a.m.; Bible Class at 3 p. m. All are cordially invited to attend. Weekly prayer meeting on Wednesdays at 8 p.m.

BAPTIST SERVICES are held each Sabbath at 11 a.m. in the Temperance Hall, Raglan St.

LISTOWEL STANDARD.

FRIDAY, JUNE 7, 1878.

TOWN AND COUNTRY.

MONTHLY cattle fair to-day.

GORRIE has a juvenile cold water society.

Remember D. D. Hay's great sale on the 11th June.

LISTOWEL Court of Revision will be held on Thursday, 27th inst.

White Lace Striped Dress Goods, for 12½c. and 15c., at Bean & Gee's.

AN effort is being made to have the road west of Molesworth graveled.

A LOCAL sweepstakes trot takes place on the Listowel driving park this evening.

THE severe frost on Wednesday night played havoc with the vegetable gardens hereabouts.

Capital building sites to be disposed of at D. D. Hay's great auction sale of town property on the 11th inst.

REV. J. W. COX, of Nova Scota, will conduct the services in the Congregational Church on Sunday next.

The corner stone of the new Catholic church at Macton, township of Peel, will be laid by his Lordship Bishop Crinnon, Sunday, June 9.

The fruit crop in the Belleville district is uninjured by the recent frosts, and promises to be more abundant than for many years past.

BY the new arrangement on the Toronto, Grey & Bruce Railway, four trains have been placed on the line, instead of two as formerly.

THE Fire Brigade were again out for practice on Friday evening. A local shower much more effective than protracted, was the result.

MR. ARTHUR RIDOUT, the obliging young assistant of the Bank of Hamilton, left here on Monday morning to spend a few weeks' holidays in the "ambitious city."

REV. H. M. PAYNTER, a Chicago evangelist, has been holding largely attended revival meetings in Brussels lately. He is said to be a ready speaker and a very able expounder of the Scriptures.

CONSIDERABLE wool has been brought in this week; but Listowel market, like all others throughout the Dominion, rules low this season. From 21c. to 23c. are about the outside cash figures.

W. G. Hay offers from ¼ to 1 acre of land for manufacturing purposes, free, on his survey to any party or parties who will start some manufacturing business which will give employment to a number of hands.

COURTS for the revision of the Voters Lists of 1877 will be held as follows:—Mornington, at Roe's hall, Milverton, on 11th July, at 10 a.m.; Elma and Listowel, at Grand Central Hall, Listowel, on 12th July, at 10 a.m.

A QUOITING match for the championship of Canada and his Excellency the Governor-General's medal, takes place in Toronto on Thursday and Friday of next week. We have not heard of any members of the Listowel Quoiting Club having entered for the competition.

ONE day last week Mr. D. D. Hay lost a valuable thoroughbred cow. The animal was apparently all right on the evening previous. Next morning she was found dead. Inflammation is supposed to have been the cause of her death. Mr. Hay paid $100 for her last fall and would not have parted with her for double that amount.

FOLLOWING is a report of Listowel Public School for May:

Department,	No, on Roll.	Average.
1	58	35
2	41	32 1-6
3	70	45
4	54	36
5	69	47
6	76	57
7	149	89

WILLIAM NIXON, gardener, has any amount of strong, healthy cabbage plants, just in prime for setting out. They include several of the very best varieties grown. His gardens will repay a visit, whether for inspection of beautiful flowers and shrubbery, or for the purpose of making selections from the variety of garden stuff at his disposal.

SALES OF REAL ESTATE.—W. G. Hay has sold of his survey on the Davidson property lots to the amount of $3,700 during the month of May. Parties wanting to secure a home cheap and on easy terms should not let this opportunity go by. He will sell good lots from $75 up, and your own time to pay for them. Some very choice sites for residences.

AN Art Studio for copying, enlarging and finishing pictures in oil, India ink, etc., has recently been instituted in town. Any one desirous of having their own or their friends portraits reproduced on canvas, life size, can now be accommodated without sending away to the larger towns and cities. Specimens of the artist's work may be seen at the rooms adjoining the Montreal telegraph office.

Cheap lots for the million, at D. D. Hay's great auction sale on the 11th.

THE G. W. R. siding is now complete to Climies' mills. In every particular its construction is on an equality if not even better than the main line. The bridge over the Maitland is a very substantial structure, and looks as though it might last for a hundred years. Already a large amount of traffic is being done on the siding. Some thirty cars have been loaded and shipped to various points this week, chiefly from Messrs. Climies' flouring mills and stave factory. The receipts of material have also been considerable. This is certainly an encouraging opening.

The School Board met, the night was wet, a member took the chair;
On either side, the fondest pride, of Listowel were there."

But ere long the cloud which for days had been gathering on the placid horizon of educational matters, burst with terrible violence. Hearts were made sad, which but a few short hours before beat with ecstatic pleasure over the thought that the time-honored Market Question was about to be disposed of. But, alas! imagination's wings were clipped; and with grim satisfaction three of the members of the board grasped hats and departed thence, fatally injuring the requisite quorum! It certainly does seem as though some of the members of both our Town Council and School Boards never utter a sentiment at their regular meetings, as they have probably never committed an action, slightly tinged with generosity, or even savoring remotely of disinterestedness. It is extremely inimical to the welfare of our town that the various discussions at public meetings should be so garrulous, and absolutely impervious to all sentiments of modesty, and only abounding in personal predilections to the detriment of the town at large.

Advice to Farmers.

Bring your butter and eggs to James Armstrong's, and secure your Tea for the harvest. He is selling 3 lbs. of good tea for $1.00.

Potato Bugs.

Never since these pests invaded this country did they appear in greater numbers at this season of the year, or evince more determination to devour the new potato crop, than at present.

I. O. G. T.

The above order have decided to hold a garden party and strawberry festival on the afternoon of Dominion Day. Games and amusements will be provided. The last entertainment the order gave here is sufficient guarantee that this will be made a success. Further notice will be given.

Conservative Meeting.

The regular monthly meeting of the Listowel Conservative Association will be held this evening in the Commercial Hall at seven o'clock, sharp. As important business will be brought before the meeting all are requested to be present.

T. G. FENNEL, President.

Listowel Assessment.

Mr. N. Tilt, assessor, has completed his work for the present year. The following totals may be of interest to ratepayers: Value of real and personal property and taxable income in East Ward, $343,100; Centre Ward, $306,650; West Ward, $166,705—total, $816,455. Total in 1877, $726,750; increase this year, $89,705. The total amount set down for taxable income is $29,900. No. of cattle, 128; horses, 122; dogs, 113.

Ordination Services.

The Ordination and Installation of A. F. McGregor, B.A., as pastor of the Listowel Congregational Church, will be held on Tuesday, June 11th. Services at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and at 7.30 p.m. Rev. H. Wilkes. M. A., LL. D., D. D., and Prof. K. M. Fennick of Montreal, also Revds. J. Wood of Ottawa, W. Manchee of Guelph, J. Hughes of Stratford, D. McGregor and J. W. Cox of Nova Scotia, will take part in the services. The public are cordially invited to attend.

Saturday Excursions.

To-morrow the G. W. R. again commence issuing cheap Saturday excursion tickets to Kincardine, Southampton and Port Elgin. By this arrangement parties can leave Listowel any Saturday morning for Kincardine, remain over Sunday at the lake, and return on the Monday following, the ticket for the trip costing $1. Tickets for the other points named are procurable at any station on the main line of the W. G. & B. R. These excursions will doubtless become quite popular as the heated term advances.

G. W. R. Agency.

The Great Western Railway Company have opened a branch office in Livingstone's drug store. Mr. John Livingstone, jr., has been appointed town agent. The G. W. R. is always to be found abreast of the times, and the confidence with which the public have come to look upon that railway is owing in no small degree to the sterling qualities of its officials. With Mr. Andrew Little as station agent and Mr. Livingstone as town agent the interests of the Company and the convenience of the public will be well attended to.

Listowel Public School.

The following is the result of the last examination of the history class, maximum 100 marks:

Lizzie Thompson,	98	Rebecca Forbes,	67
Amy Thomlinson,	90	Maggie Wallace,	65
Fred Bradley,	86	Thomas Austin,	65
Addie Clayton,	85	Minnie Philp,	63
Alex. Ferguson,	83	Mary Irwin,	63
Jessie Climie,	83	Samuel Barber,	62
Maggie McIlwraith,	82	Simon Reid,	62
Richard Armstrong,	82	Ellen Ferguson,	61
Edwin Poole,	79	Harry Dillabough,	60
Minnie Walker,	77	Willie McIlwraith,	56
Willie Rogers,	75	Austin Vellie,	53
Janet Brownlee,	74	David Barber,	50
Willie Climie,	73	John Watson,	50
Mary Anderson,	70	Charlie Sarvis,	50
Emily Draper,	70	Robert Davidson,	47
Jennie Green,	70	Richard Lillico,	45

Excursion and Pic-Nic.

The Grangers have taken the initiative this season in getting up a cheap excursion to the lake. On Thursday next, 13th inst, an excursion train leaves Palmerston at 8 a. m., for Kincardine, calling at Listowel at 8.30, and all stations along the line, arriving at Kincardine at 11.20 a. m., where a grand pic-nic is to be held under the auspices of the Lucknow Grangers. Addresses are expected from Mr. Joseph Rymal, M. P., E. H. Hilborn, lecturer of the Dominion Grange, and several other speakers. Band music, boating and other amusements will be provided. The G. W. R. Company is making provision for accommodating a very large number. The fare from Palmerston and all points as far as Brussels is $1. Some six hours will be allowed for pleasure at the lake.

Railway Progress.

The importance of Listowel as a railway point is aptly illustrated by the energy lately put forth by both trunk and local roads to place their respective lines in the most advantageous position to compete for the traffic centreing here. Sidings of considerable magnitude have been extended to the flouring mills, and town offices have been opened for the transaction of general railway business. The convenience and value of these acquisitions to the town cannot be easily estimated; but that they will largely develop the trade of Listowel is beyond the shadow of a doubt. With shipping facilities such as scarcely another town in Canada can claim to equal, it must only be a question of time with our already extensive manufactories in greatly enlarging and extending their borders, and as our favorable situation becomes generally known, outside manufacturers will be induced to locate here, and new enterprises be established.

Sad and Fatal Accident.

On Saturday last a very sad accident happened here, resulting in the death of a bright and promising lad, Johnnie Green, eldest son of Mr. James Green, blacksmith. The little fellow, who was about nine years old, was down to his father's shop in company with his younger brother on Saturday afternoon when a load of coal was about to be delivered. The coal was to be unloaded through an aperture in the side of the shop, and in order to place the wagon in the best position, the teamster, after having backed the wagon, again stepped forward with the intention of backing up the second time. The younger of the two boys had got inside for the purpose of shoveling the coal away from the hole, and so far as can be ascertained, Johnny attempted to climb in after him; but not being noticed by the teamster, the wagon in the meantime continued its backward course. The unfortunate lad failing to get inside, and seeing his danger, turned about, but was unable to escape, the projecting end of the wagon-box catching him on the stomach and crushing him with a terrible force against the side of the building. For a time his injuries did not appear very serious, and on being released he walked some distance. It was not until after he had been taken home that any real danger was apprehended. Medical assistance was then procured, but it was only to find that there was no hope of the little fellow remaining long on earth. No bones appeared to have been broken, but the dreadful crushing caused internal injuries from the effects of which he died shortly after one o'clock on Sabbath morning. His body was laid in the Listowel cemetery on Monday afternoon, and was followed to the grave by many of his little companions and a very large concourse of the bereaved parents' acquaintances. It is but seldom that this community is visited with an event so melancholy; its sadness was therefore more generally felt.

Bean & Gee are selling 3 lbs. of good Tea for $1.

PRINTS! PRINTS!—Over 300 pieces to select from at Climie, Hay & Co's.

If you want a good cup of tea buy your Tea from D. D. Campbell, Wallace street.

Don't fail to attend the great sale of town and park lots on Tuesday next, 11th inst., at 10 a.m.

Remember that D. D. Campbell has moved from Main street to Wallace St., where he is selling goods cheaper than ever.

GENTS! GENTS! If you want a perfect fitting suit of clothes leave your order at Climie, Hay & Co.; a large stock of English, Scotch and Canadian tweeds to select from.

Public School Board.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Listowel board of Public School trustees on Tuesday evening, the members were all present; Rev. J. W. Bell, and Messrs. Freeman and Campbell, members of the High School board, were also present by invitation. An account of Thos. Petherick for glass, $4.78, was passed, and an account of E. Kilmer laid over. Copy of a resolution from Town Council was read, to the effect that in their opinion it was to the interest of the town that the Public School board should convey the old school site to the town, instead of to the High School board. Considerable discussion took place on the question, the chairman and Messrs. Martin and Fennell, favoring handing over the property to the High School board, and had a motion prepared to that effect. Messrs. Towner, McIlwraith and Bradley opposed the motion, and had an amendment prepared; but before either amendment or motion was put, the latter named gentlemen left the meeting. No further action was taken for want of a quorum.

Town Council.

Council met in regular session on Monday evening, 3rd inst. His worship Mayor Scott presiding. The following members took their seat at the council board: T. E. Hay, Reeve; D. D. Hay, Deputy-Reeve, and Councillors Freeman, Binning, Heppler, Towner, Deavitt, Nichol, Austin, Dillabough, Hacking. The minutes of last meeting were read and confirmed. A circular was read from the Deputy Minister of Education announcing the apportionment for public schools in cities, towns and villages to be the same as last year (Listowel apportionment $150.) Moved by Dr. Nichol, seconded by A. S. Deavitt, that J. M. & A. Climie be paid $7 per 1000 ft. for 8000 feet of hemlock plank, instead as $5.94 as per tender—Carried. Moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by A. Austin, that J. M. & A. Climie be paid $200 on account of lumber—Carried. The treasurer's statement for the past month was laid on the table, showing a balance on hand of $226.80. The report of Finance committee, recommending the payment of several accounts, was on motion received and adopted. Moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by Dr. Dillabough, that the Mayor, Reeve, and councillors Freeman, Towner, and Binning be and compose the Court of Revision for the year 1878, and that the first sitting be held in the Council chamber on Thursday the 27th day of June inst., and that due notice be given in the *Banner* and STANDARD—Carried. It was moved by D. D. Hay, seconded by J. A. Hacking, that the mayor be authorized to correspond with the County Council of Huron, urging that body to make a grant in aid of graveling the town line from Molesworth west to the crossing of the gravel road leading to Seaforth—Carried. A petition, previously laid over, was read from the fire brigade, respecting increased accommodation for the engine and hook and ladder company, the present engine house being entirely too small for engine alone, and quite unsuited for the purpose. An offer having been received from Mr. W. C. Smith to erect a building suitable for an engine house, hose tower and council chamber, and rent the same to the council for the sum of $200 per year, it was moved by J. A. Hacking, seconded by Dr. Dillabough, that a committee composed of Dr. Nichol, Austin, Dr. Dillabough, Towner, the Mayor and Reeve, be appointed to interview W. C. Smith in regard to securing an engine house, and report at next meeting of council. On motion, a committee was appointed to investigate and report on the advisability of having the bodies removed from the old burying ground in the east ward to some other locality, and also to take such advice as is necessary as to the legal bearing of the matter. It was moved by D. D. Hay, seconded by Dr. Dillabough, that in our opinion the public interest would be promoted by the retention of the common school property by the town, and that the common school board are hereby respectfully asked to make a conveyance to the town of the property in question—Carried. It was moved by G. Towner, seconded by J. Heppler, that a committee composed of the following members of the council wait upon the school board with a copy of the previous resolution and request a compliance therewith, John Binning, D. D. Hay, Dr. Dillabough and Jacob Heppler. The yeas and nays being taken, the motion was negatived by the casting vote of the mayor. Council then adjourned.

Beautiful Grenadines at 20c. and 25c. per yard. at Bean & &ee's.

At Climie, Hay & Co., you will find their stock of gents' furnishings complete.

The Grand Orange Lodge of Britsh North America opened at St. John, N.B., Monday.

For a fashionable hat go to D. D. Campbell's store on Wallace street, the leading business street.

DRESS GOODS! DRESS GOODS! In endless variety, and at the very lowest price, at Climie, Hay & Co.

Choicest locality in town—the lots to be offered at D. D. Hay's great sale of real estate on Tuesday next.

PITCHER PLANTS.

For the STANDARD.

Perhaps most of the readers of the STADARD are aware that some species of the very interesting genus of "Pitcher Plants" are natives of Canada, yet few may know that a small but very beautiful specimen of this *genera* of Canadian flowers is to be found in the woods near Listowel. Such, however, is the case; and as some account of the slipper-like flower may be of interest to the admirers of Canadian botany, I will attempt to describe it. The most attractive feature of this wild wood plant is its flower, which is about an inch long, and shaped much like the shoe of a Chinese woman. The color of the flower is yellow, the inside being marked with lines of brown, and in size it would contain about a thimbleful of matter. This flower hangs gracefully from the top of the plant stem, and at its junction, or what may be called the "heel" of the slipper, are one or two tongue-shaped petals, covering two small seeds. The stalk of the plant is over a foot in height, the leaves are of a light green hue, four or five in number, and in shape and appearance much resemble the plantain, the ribs running from stem to point like the lines of longitude on a hemisphere. The largest leaves are towards the ground; there are several inches between each leaf; those towards the top of the stem are quite small. This plant is an annual and is found only in spongy places beneath the shade of the tamarack. It flowers but once in the season—in the early part of June; only one flower is found on each stalk. I have named this species the "Slipper Flower."

NATURALIST.

BIRTHS.

Notices of Births, Marriages and Deaths, duly authenticated, inserted free of charge.

FULLER—In Stratford, on the 28th ult., the wife of Samuel S. Fuller, Esq., President Stratford & Huron Railway, of a son.

FAHEY—In Stratford, on the 31st ult., the wife of Mr. James Fahey, of a son.

MCKEE—At Molesworth, on the 25th ult., the wife of Mr. Wm. J. McKee, of a son.

MARRIAGES.

BERTHMAN—ELLIS.—At Drayton, on the 23rd ult., Mr. Joseph Berthman, of Wallace, to Miss Sarah Ann, eldest daughter of Mr. Geo. Ellis, of Peel.

BERTHMAN—HOOKS—At Harriston, on the 23rd ult., by the Rev. Mr. Scott, Mr. Benjamin Berthman, to Miss Annie Hooks, all of Harriston.

DEATHS.

BEST—Near Palmerston, on the 1st inst., Emma, third daughter of Mr. James Best, aged 12 years and 8 months.

GREAT AUCTION SALE OF REAL ESTATE.

WILL BE OFFERED FOR SALE BY AUCTION ON 300 TOWN AND PARK LOTS

TUESDAY, 11TH DAY OF JUNE,

On the Ground, to commence at 10 o'clock in the Forenoon.

These lots are admirably located in the West End of the Town on D. D. HAY'S FARM, and offer advantages RARE and UNRIVALLED to all parties desirous of investing in Town Property. A Town Park, finely located, of three acres, forms a special and valuable attraction of this survey, which also comprises a number of beautifully located Park Lots of from one to two acres each. The Lots for sale include D. D. Hay's old homestead, with about 300 fruit and ornamental trees—the fruit trees all bearing. The Proprietor undertakes after harvest to grade the leading streets and liberally aid in building a side walk from Main Street to the Town Park.

One Dwelling House, with 10 rooms; 2 Dwelling Houses, with three rooms each, will be sold at the same time.

Plans of the Property may be seen and private sales effected at HAY & DEVLINS' OFFICE, MAIN STREET, LISTOWEL.

CONDITIONS OF SALE: All lots offered will be sold without reserve on four years time and longer if desired. The first payment in Cash or endorsed notes at five months; the balance in equal annual payments, the whole to bear interest at eight per cent. per annum.

This is an exceptionally favorable chance to invest in valuable Real Estate in a live and growing Town, and the public are, without reserve, specially invited to attend.

REFRESHMENTS will be served on the Ground at one o'clock, P. M.

T. E. HAY, Auctioneer. D. D. HAY, Proprietor.

LISTOWEL, May 23, 1878.

HENRY T. THRIFT,
Builder and Contractor.
Stone, Brick Work, Plastering and Slating in all their branches. Fire Work and Water Tanks a specialty. Plans and Specifications got up for any size or design of house. Terms very moderate. First-class references if required. Listowel, Ont. 19y

NOTICE.
A meeting of the
Conservative Association
OF THE
TOWNHSIP OF ELMA
will be held at WYNN'S HOTEL, on
MONDAY, 17TH INST., AT 7 P. M.,
for the transaction of general business.
T. FULLARTON, Secretary. R. L. ALEXANDER, President.

COURT OF REVISION.
Notice is hereby given that the first sitting of the Court of Revision for the
TOWN OF LISTOWEL
will be held in the
GRAND CENTRAL HALL,
—ON—
Thursday, 27th June, at 10 a.m.
To hear and determine the several complaints of errors and omissions in the Assessment Roll for the said municipality for the year 1878. All persons having business at the said Court are requested to attend at the said time and place.
J. W. DEVLIN, Town Clerk.
Listowel, 5th June, 1878. 19

MORTGAGE SALE
OF
VILLAGE LOTS!
IN THE
VILLAGE of TROWBRIDGE,
TOWNSHIP OF ELMA.
Under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage bearing date the 27th day of December, A.D. 1871 (and registered 3rd day of January, A.D. 1872, in the Registry Office for the County of Perth, in Book "Trowbridge" for the Township of Elma, as number 140,) and also under and by virtue of a power of sale contained in a mortgage bearing date the 21st day of May, A. D. 1875 (and registered on the 29th day of May, A. D. 1875, in the Registry Office of the County of Perth, in Book "Trowbridge" for the Township of Elma, as number 173,) both of which mortgages will be produced at time of sale, there will be sold by Public Auction, at the
BRITISH HOTEL!
IN THE VILLAGE OF TROWBRIDGE,
—ON—
Monday, 17th day of June, 1878,
AT 2 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON,
all and singular, that certain parcel or tract of land and premises situate, lying and being in the Township of Elma, in the County of Perth and Province of Ontario, containing by admeasurement half an acre, more or less, being composed of village lots numbers forty-three and forty-four, in the
VILLAGE OF DORADO,
and forms part of farm lot number five, in the second concession of the said Township of Elma.
This property is favorably situated in a pleasant locality. On the premises there is a
GOOD FRAME DWELLING HOUSE
TERMS OF SALE:
Thirty per cent. of the purchase money cash on the day of sale, and balance in one week thereafter. The terms and conditions in other respects may be obtained on application to the Vendor's Solicitor. Deed to be given at the expense of purchaser.
T. G. FENNELL, Vendor's Solicitor.
Listowel, May 18th, 1878. 17

TEMPERANCE HOUSE.—A. R. MERNER has opened out his new Temperance House, near the Port Dover and Stratford Railway station, where he will be happy to entertain the public who may favor him with their patronage. He would also state that a number of boarders can be accommodated at reasonable rates. A. R. MERNER. 17

PEACE! PEACE! PEACE!
500 TOWN LOTS FOR SALE
Also a number of
PARK LOTS
situated in the best part of the town.
14 Apply to PETER LILLICO.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the Partnership heretofore subsisting between us, the undersigned, as Stone and Marble Cutters, in the Town of Listowel, has been this day dissolved by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said Partnership are to be paid to Andrew M. Morrow, and all claims against the said Partnership are to be presented to the said Andrew M. Morrow, by whom the same will be settled.
Dated at Listowel this twenty-third day of March, A. D. 1878.
Witness REID BARBER. } A. M MORROW, WM. MITCHELL,
In reference to the above, A. M. Morrow wishes to intimate to the public that he will in future carry on the business. Orders left at the old stand will be punctually attended to, and satisfaction guaranteed.
A. M. MORROW.
Listowel, March 26th, 1878. 9

MRS. T. W. RILEY
Wishes to inform the ladies of Listowel and surrounding country that she is now prepared to do over
STRAW WORK
in all the latest styles. Also feathers, flowers, silks and ribbons for trimming and millinery purposes.
☞ Third house from A. Morrow's corner.
RAGLAN STREET. 9

L. O. L. No. 617. The members of this Lodge meet in their Lodge Room on Raglan Street on the 1st Thursday of every month, at 7.30 p.m.—Brethren from other Lodges are cordially invited to visit us whenever convenient
WM. LITTLE, Master.
DAVID FRITCHLEY, Secretary. 1y

NEW BUSINESS IN LISTOWEL.
HAYDEN & ZWALD,
WOOD CARVERS,
beg to inform the public in general that they have opened a shop in Martin's Block,
OPPOSITE THE GRAND CENTRAL HOTEL
where they will keep on hand a general assortment of
CARVED GOODS!
Wall Pockets, Match Boxes, Cigar Boxes, Watch Stands, Clock Shelves, Brackets, Jewelry Boxes, Ink Stands, Card Baskets, Flower Vases, etc., etc., which they will sell
WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.
Also, Pictures for sale and framed, neat and cheap.
All kinds of Carvings and Moulding Frames to choose from.
☞ Remember the stand—opposite the Grand Central Hotel.
HAYDEN & ZWALD.
Listowel, April 24th, 1878. 13

NEW GROCERY AND LIQUOR STORE.
W. McMILLAN
Wishes to intimate to the inhabitants of Listowel and surrounding country, that he has opened a
Grocery and Liquor Store
—IN—
MARTIN'S BLOCK,
One door east of the Grand Central Hotel, where he will keep constantly on hand a large supply of
GROCERIES, WINES AND LIQUORS,
Which he will sell at the lowest rates to cash buyers.
A CALL IS RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED.
W. McMILLAN.
Listowel, May 18th, 1878. 17

HARDWARE! HARDWARE!!
TATHAM & CO.,
Offer to the public
One thousand kegs selected CUT NAILS, superior to the American make both in style and finish.
Five tons Barn Door and other Hinges.
314 dozen Locks and Knobs.
203 dozen Latches.
300 boxes Glass.
20 barrels Machine Oil.
Three tons White Lead.
10 barrels Paint Oil.
Our stock of
HARVEST TOOLS,
comprising the most celebrated makes of
SCYTHES AND FORKS,
are well assorted and unsurpassed in the Dominion.
TATHAM & CO.
Wholesale and Retail.
Listowel, Ont. 1

WAR! WAR! WAR!
Come to JOHN A. TREMAIN
For Good Building Lots,
and save fifty per cent.
CLOSE TO THE P. D. STATION.
14 JOHN A. TREMAIN.

FARM FOR SALE.
The undersigned offers for sale his farm, containing 50 acres, east half of lot No. 3, in the 4th concession of Elma, one mile from Trowbridge and five from the town of Listowel. It is good clay loam; 45 acres cleared; good young orchard; well fenced; a good frame house, frame barn and stable. Can be purchased on reasonable terms. For full particulars apply to ROBERT ROSE, on the premises, or Trowbridge P. O. 6c

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ROBINSON & DUNHAM,
Taking advantage of the hard times, have purchased a large amount of
First-Class Machinery,
of the most improved kind, and are now conducting an extensive
SASH, DOOR, AND BLIND
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where they keep constantly on hand a full supply of Sashes, Doors, and Blinds.
Patent School Desks of the latest and most approved designs made to order.
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All kinds of building and repairing promptly attended to.
Plans and specifications drawn up and estimates given.
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Listowel, March 28th, 1878. 9

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Stone work, Brick work, and Plastering
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MONEY LOANED
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The highest price paid for good Mortgages on either Farm or Town property.
THE LANCASHIRE
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$750 WILL PURCHASE ONE-FIFTH of an acre on the south side of Inkerman street, with a good Frame Dwelling, containing seven apartments and kitchen. Apply to R. MARTIN.
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$325 WILL PURCHASE A PARK Lot containing 4½ acres on David Wark's Survey of farm lot number twenty-three, on the second concession of Wallace. Apply to R. MARTIN.
$3,000 WILL PURCHASE THE NORTH part of lot No. 61, in the 1st con. Elma, containing 62½ acres. Good frame barn. Terms, $1,900 cash; balance to remain on mortgage at 8 per cent. for 5 years.
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Opposite the Grand Central Hotel. 1

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Their ordered Shirts are giving excellent satisfaction.
Call and leave your measure for a sample shirt.
Prices always right.
Highest prices paid for farm produce.
No trouble to show Goods.
Don't forget the place,
MAIN STREET, SECOND DOOR FROM WALLACE,
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LISTOWEL, April 24th, 1878.

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AT THE
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I have received a very choice stock of
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which for prices and quality cannot fail to suit cash and prompt paying buyers.
In Dress Goods, Millinery, Prints, Cottons, Broad Cloths, Tweeds, Denims, Carpets, Hats and Caps, Groceries, Crockery, Glassware Boots and Shoes, and Liquors,
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this season will surpass anything ever offered in Town for Style, Quality, and Cheapness.
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NEW GOODS!
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LOWEST PRICES!!
CELEBRATED "TRIANGLE" BRAND
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BLACK LUSTRES.
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He is now receiving more than usual full lines in
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D. D. CAMPBELL.
WALLACE STREET, LISTOWEL, Ont., March 11th, 1878.